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STATE OF NEW JERSEY
DEPARTMENT OF LAW AND PUBLIC SAFETY
DIVISION OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS
BOARD OF DENTISTRY

IN THE MATTER OF

RICHARD JUNG, D.D.S. License No. DI 18380 Administrative Action

CONSENT ORDER

LICENSED TO PRACTICE DENTISTRY IN THE STATE OF NEW JERSEY

This matter was opened to the New Jersey State Board of Dentistry ("Board") upon receipt of information that: Richard Jung, D.D.S. ("respondent"), had failed to provide dental treatment consistent with the standard of care in this State. Specifically, the Board received a complaint from patient J.G. alleging that respondent had failed to properly perform services on her teeth necessitating re-treatment. On May 19, 1999, respondent appeared without counsel, at an investigative inquiry into the matter held by the Board.

Having reviewed the entire record, including the testimony of respondent at the investigative inquiry, it appears to the Board that respondent's treatment of patient J.G., specifically performing endodontic therapy for teeth 16, 17, and 28 when those teeth

should have been extracted, substantially deviated from the standard of care and constitutes repeated acts of negligence.

These facts establish basis for disciplinary action pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-21(d). Notwithstanding this determination, the Board is satisfied that respondent has shown that he is now aware of the manner in which the treatment was deficient and does not require remedial education. It appearing that respondent desires to resolve this matter without admissions and without recourse to formal proceedings and for good cause shown:

IT IS ON THIS 18 DAY OF SEPTEMBER. 1999

HEREBY ORDERED AND AGREED THAT:

- 1. Respondent is hereby assessed civil penalties pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-22 in the amount of \$2500.00 for conduct with respect to his treatment of patient J.G. Payment for the civil penalties shall be submitted by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey and shall be sent to Agnes M. Clarke, Executive Director, Executive Director, Board of Dentistry, P.O. Box 45005, 124 Halsey Street, Sixth Floor, Newark, New Jersey 07101, no later than 30 days from the entry of this Consent Order.. Subsequent violations will subject respondent to enhanced penalties pursuant to N.J.S.A. 45:1-25.
- 2. Respondent is assessed the costs of the investigation to the State in this matter in the amount of \$ 253.00. Payment for the costs shall be submitted by certified check or money order made payable to the State of New Jersey and submitted to the Board no later than twenty-one days from the entry of this Consent Order. Payment shall be sent to Agnes M. Clarke at the address described in paragraph #1.

3. Failure to remit any payment required by this Order will result in the filing of a certificate of debt.

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	NEW JERSEY STATE BOARD OF	DENTISTRY
	By: Mengletyn DDS	
	Henry Finger, D.D.S. Board President	. 1

I have read and understand this Consent Order and agree to be bound by its terms. Consent is hereby given to the Board to enter this Order.

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Date: 10/7/99